

third Session of the General Conference of the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization. (Prior to this action, Committee on Foreign Relations was discharged from further consideration.)

46 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.
11 Army nominations in the rank of general.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, Navy.

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today.
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Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 3:04 p.m., until 3 p.m., on Monday, October 3, 2005. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on pages S10809–10.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

NOMINATIONS:

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations: of John Hillen, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Political-Military Affairs, who was introduced by Senator Allen, Barry F. Lowenkron, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor, both of the Department of State, and Kent R. Hill, of Virginia, and Jacqueline Ellen Schafer, of the District of Columbia, both to be Assistant Administrator, United States Agency for International Development, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATIONS:

Committee on the Judiciary: on Thursday, September 29, Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Margaret Mary Sweeney, of Virginia, and Thomas Craig Wheeler, of Maryland, each to be a Judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims, John Richard Smoak, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Florida, who was introduced by Senator Nelson (FL), Brian Edward Sandoval, to be United States District Judge for the District of Nevada, who was introduced by Senators Reid and Ensign, and Harry Sandlin Mattice, Jr., to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Tennessee, who was introduced by Senators Frist and Alexander, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. It will meet at 4 p.m. on Monday, October 3 in pro forma session and at 10 a.m. on Thursday, October 6 for legislative business.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D964)

H.R. 3649, to ensure funding for sportfishing and boating safety programs funded out of the Highway Trust Fund through the end of fiscal year 2005. Signed on September 29, 2005. (Public Law 109–74)

S. 1340, to amend the Pittman-Robertson Wildlife Restoration Act to extend the date after which surplus funds in the wildlife restoration fund become available for apportionment. Signed on September 29, 2005. (Public Law 109–75)